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METHOD AND COMMUNICATION ARRANGEMENT FOR THE

DETECTION OF AT LEAST ONE ADDITIONAL COMMUNICATION

DEVICE WHICH CAN BE CONNECTED TO AT LEAST ONE

SUBSCRIBER LINE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.